

The State of Texas
County of Gonzales

Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority, C. C. DeWitt, a credible citizen of said County & State, to me well known who after being by me duly sworn, on his oath says, that he knows of his own knowledge that the said Charles Mason, is the identical Charles Mason, who was a soldier in the Army of Texas in the year 1835, and performed his duty as such in the war that separated Texas from Mexico; that he is about sixty years old and a resident of Gonzales County, State aforesaid, and that he believes him to be justly entitled to a Pension for services performed in said Army of Texas, under the "Act granting Pensions," &c approved August 13, 1870.

C. C. DeWitt
Signed & subscribed to before me
this 16th Day of December A.D. 1870
And Sealed under my hand
and official seal at office in
Gonzales this 10th Day of
December A.D. 1870.